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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

Assistant Commissioner
for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

June 13, 2001

Sir:

This is in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated May 23, 2001. Applicants have enclosed a statement claiming small entity status and an executed Declaration/Power of Attorney.

Please charge Deposit Account #50-0217 in the amount of \$559.00 to cover the requisite filing fee (small entity). Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 50-0217. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

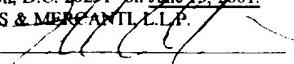
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 355 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$139.
 - \$99 for 11 total claims over 20.
 - \$40 for 1 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 559.**

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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